

June 18, 2023
Third Sunday after Pentecost
Father's Day

Watchword for the Week – The Lord is good; His steadfast love endures forever, and His faithfulness to all generations. Psalm 100:5

Welcome to our service of worship on this wonderful Lord's Day. Today is Father's Day – a special time to give thanks for fathers and all the men of faith who have touched our lives with their love. As we worship today let us pray for a fresh outpouring of the Holy Spirit upon us all – but most especially upon the men in our congregation. May God empower them with renewed energy and vision to rise up as fathers and father-figures and make a positive impact for Christ in their homes, church, community, nation and world.

If you are visiting with us today we are especially glad you are here. Please take a moment to add your name, address and phone number to the blue Friendship Register as it is passed down the pew. We consider you an honored guest and hope that you will return and worship with us in the weeks to come. If you are looking for a church home, we would love to talk with you about joining the Friedberg church family.

Prelude *Reckless Love* Asbury
Sean Tatman soloist/guitar

Welcome and Announcements

Hymn *Come Thou Fount of Ev'ry Blessing* (Blue) # 782

Liturgy in Honor of Recognition of Fathers Insert

Children's Sermon
(Children through 2nd grade may leave for Children's Church)

Joys and Concerns

Prayer

Hymn *How Firm a Foundation* (Blue) # 709
(verses 1 and 2)

Giving of Our Tithes and Offering

Prayer
Offertory *Before the Throne of God Above* Bancroft
Doxology *Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow* (Blue) # 817

Holy Scripture Jude 8-16

Sermon "Meet the Apostates"

Hymn *How Firm a Foundation* (Blue) # 709
(verses 3-5)

Benediction

Postlude *The Solid Rock* Bradbury

The flowers in the sanctuary today are dedicated to the glory of God and in celebration of Father's Day, Gray and Vicki Stanfield's 39th wedding anniversary, and Gray's birthday (June 25). *Be completely humble and gentle. Be patient, bearing with one another in love. Make every effort to keep the unity of the Spirit through the bond of peace.* Ephesians 4: 2-3.

This week in Friedberg's History: 1863 - Heavy rains came during the latter part of June causing area streams to flood more than anyone could ever remember. These floods washed away bridges and fences and caused large amounts of wheat to be carried away.

The Preschool/Afterschool Committee is pleased to announce April Bundy as the new director of this ministry. For many years April has worked in our preschool as a lead teacher and was instrumental in the beginning and the expansion of our afterschool program and summer camp. Over the years she has continuously demonstrated her leadership and organizational skills as well as her love of these children's ministries and Friedberg church. I hope you will join us in welcoming April to this new position as director of our Preschool and Afterschool Program. You can email April @ abundy@friedbergmoravian.org

All parents who have a child in Children's Church will be required to physically come down to the AV room on the first floor of the Family Life Center and sign their child out before they are released at the end of worship.

The **Blessing Box Requested Item** for the month of June is Powdered/Dry Milk. Donation bins are located around the church.

Fill a bottle, change a life! Friedberg is participating in the Salem Care Pregnancy Center Baby Bottle Campaign. The collection period ends next **TODAY**. Please fill the bottle with cash/change or checks (made payable to Salem Pregnancy Center) and return them to the narthex, the hallway behind the sanctuary, the entrance to the Family Life Center or the church office.

Sunday, June 18 (Father's Day)

9:45 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Worship in Sanctuary/Livestream

Monday, June 19

6:00 p.m. 250th Anniversary Co. Meeting
7:00 p.m. Trustee Meeting
7:00 p.m. Boy Scouts

Tuesday, June 20

7:00 p.m. Elder's Meeting

Wednesday, June 21

6:00 p.m. Youth Girls Bible Study @ home of Katie Hill
7:00 p.m. Summer Mid-Week Vesper Service

Sunday, June 25

9:15 a.m. Band Prelude
9:25 a.m. Prayer Partners-Parlor
9:45 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Worship in Sanctuary/Livestream
4:00 p.m. C.R.O.S.S. Kids Field Day

FRIEDBERG MORAVIAN CHURCH PRAYER CONCERNS

June 18, 2023

MEMBERS

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|---------------|--------------------|---------------------|
| William Boles | Ronnie Hedgecock | Jim Newsome |
| Dawn Brann | J.T. Hopkins | Reba Payne |
| Jo Brann | Pat Jarvis | Kolton Pennell |
| Phil Carter | Alvin Johnson | Mary Lou Pitts |
| Patti Clerico | Robbie Joyce | Martha Plyler |
| Darren Decker | Mark & Vicky Kimel | Joy Reich |
| Wilma Decker | Peggy Lawson | Fonda Rosebaum |
| Emily Essick | Yvonne Lemons | Merle Scott |
| LeAnne Essick | Mike Lumley | Homer Sides |
| Jerry Evans | Jennifer MacLeod | Betty Sink |
| Don Faust | Carolyn Mason | Bob & Judy Smith |
| Gary Fitts | John Mason | Louise Snyder |
| Janie Foltz | Darrell Metcalf | Jerry & Gail Tolley |
| Evva Hanes | Rebecca Mickey | Amanda Traigle |

Family and Friends Prayer Concerns Submitted Since Last Sunday:
Margaret Alexander, Kathy Freeman, Michael Griffin, Billy and Kay Lemons, Pat Masten, David Nelson and Tabitha Pyrtle

MEMBERS AND RELATIVES IN MILITARY

| | | |
|--------------------|------------------|------------------|
| Dylan Bundy | Dakota Holtzclaw | Colton Scott |
| Dylan Coleman | Alex Kennedy | Ryan Spach |
| Ben Greeson | Patrick Mickey | Brandon Thompson |
| Jennifer Greenwood | Daniel Randleman | Aidan Wheeler |

**MISSIONARIES AND MINISTRIES RECEIVING
FINANCIAL SUPPORT FROM FRIEDBERG**

ARMF (Armando Rusindo Mission Foundation)
Safie Braima - Sierra Leone
Charlie & Vicki Brent – CRU (Campus Crusade), Texas A & M University
Michael and Brenda Brent – CRU (Campus Crusade), Croatia
Anna Stewart Faircloth – Young Life
Keith Graham - Cookies for Christ
Dusty and Christin Harrison – Intervarsity, Clemson University
Hoof and Paw Therapeutic Riding and Activity Center
Phil III & Eunice Raiford, Commission to Every Nation (CTEN) - Mexico
Michael and Ceci Tesh, Ray of Hope Orphanage – Kenya
Friends of Moravian Prison Ministry
Joey Yokely – Fellowship of Christian Athletes

Fathers' Day Liturgy

Lord, on this day set aside to honor and remember fathers, we give You thanks for our fathers. We are grateful that You chose to give us life through them, and that they received the gift of life from Your hands, and gave it to us. Thank you for the sacrifices they made in the form of time, courage and patience.

We thank You for the men who raised us, who were our fathers in childhood. Whether birth dad, adopted dad, older brother, uncle, grandfather, stepfather or someone else, we thank You for those men who held us and fed us, who cared for us and kissed away our pain. We pray that our lives may reflect the love they showed us, and that they would be pleased to be called our dads.

We pray for older dads whose children are grown.

Grant them joy and satisfaction for a job well done.

We pray for new dads experiencing changes they could not predict.

Grant them rest and peace as they trust You for the future.

We pray for expectant men who will soon be dads.

Grant them patience and good counsel in the coming months.

We pray for dads who face the demands of single parenthood.

Grant them strength and wisdom.

We pray for dads who enjoy financial abundance.

Grant them time to share with their families.

We pray for dads who are raising their children in poverty.

Grant them relief and justice.

We pray for dads who try to balance vocation and family.

Grant them courage for the living of each day.

We pray for stepdads.

Grant them patience and understanding and love.

We pray for dads who are separated from their children.

Grant them faith and hope.

We pray for dads in marriages that are in crisis.

Grant them support and insight.

We pray for dads who have lost children.

Grant them comfort in the resurrection of Jesus Christ.

We pray for fathers whose children's lives ended in abortion.

Grant them healing and peace.

We pray for dads who gave up their children for adoption.

Grant them peace and confidence as they trust in Your providence.

We pray for adoptive fathers.

Grant them joy and gratitude for the gift You have provided.

We pray for boys and men who think about being dads.

Grant them wisdom and discernment.

We pray for men who desperately want, or wanted, to be dads.

Grant them grace to accept Your timing and will.

We pray for all men who have assumed the father's role in a child's life.

Grant them joy and the appreciation of others.

We pray for dads who show us the way of faith.

Grant them the guidance of the Holy Spirit.

We pray for those people present who are grieving the loss of their father in the past year.

Grant them comfort and hope in Christ's resurrection

Lord, we thank You for the gift of fatherhood. We thank You for the many examples of faithful fathers in scripture, like Abraham, Isaac, Jacob and Zechariah.

We are mindful this day of all these men, and especially Joseph the earthly father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who had the courage in faith to say "yes" to Your calling. May the men gathered here today emulate these examples of faith. And may they model for all the rest of us what it means to be Your disciple. Bless them on this special day; in the name of Jesus Christ.

Amen

Reprinted from *Sing to the Lord a New Song: A New Moravian Songbook*, with the permission of the Moravian Music Foundation and Interprovincial Board of Communication.



Meet The Apostates

What They Do (Verse 8)

- _____
- _____
- _____

What They Do (Verse 10)

-Act like _____

They Are Like... (Verse 11)

- _____
- _____
- _____

They Are... (Verse 12)

-A _____ on their love feast

Lessons From Nature (Verses 12 & 13)

- Like _____ without rain
- Like Autumn _____ without fruit
- Like wild _____
- Like wandering _____

3 Facets Of A Godless Teachers:

- _____ and _____
- Follow their _____
- _____ about themselves
and _____ others

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Summer Mid-Week
Vesper Service***

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Jesus was sending His disciples out to do special work among the people.

Jesus prepared the 12 disciples to go out to the people of Israel. He gave them some specific instructions to heal the sick, raise the dead, cleanse those with leprosy and drive out demons.

Then He said,

Use this code and write what Jesus said on the lines below.

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| | =D | | =G | | =L | | =Y | | |

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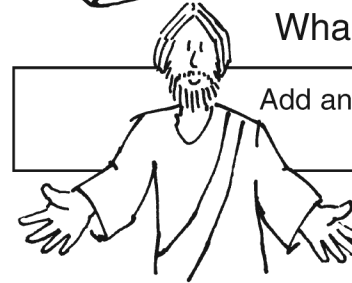
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Ages 7+

June 18, 2023 • Matthew 9:35-38; 10:1-23

Jesus Sends His Disciples

What was Jesus doing?



Add and subtract words and letters to form words. Write them on the correct lines.

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+ - wi = _____

② - ous + - bl + - r = _____

③ - ea + - r + - ar + - stri
= _____

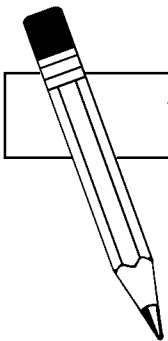
Jesus was going through towns and villages

1) _____, 2) _____ and 3) _____.



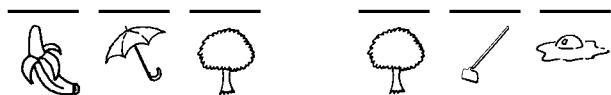
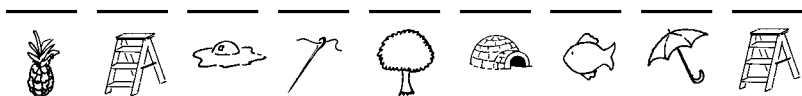
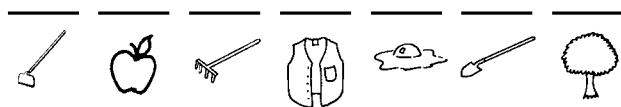
The Rev. Jim Newsome-Senior Pastor
 The Rev. Dan Nelson-Assoc. Pastor
 Karen Hill-Director of Youth Ministry
 Heidi Everhart-Director of Children's Ministry
 Debbie Foltz-Music Director
 Jimmie Snyder-Band Director

Jesus said the crowds were like sheep without a shepherd.
What else did He say?



Write the 1st letter of each picture on the line.

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Jesus gave His disciples the authority to drive out evil spirits and to heal sickness.

In the puzzle, circle the names of the 12 disciples.
You will find them across, down and diagonally.

Simon Peter
Simon
Andrew

James
Philip
Bartholomew

Thomas
Matthew
Thaddaeus

Judas
James
John



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